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FIRST AMENDMENT  
TO THE  
NOVEMBER 1979 CLASSIFICATION AND CORRELATION  
OF THE SOILS OF  
CASS COUNTY, INDIANA

JUNE 2003

This amendment results from digitizing the Cass County Soil Survey, the update of the NASIS database, and conforming to the Keys to Soil Taxonomy, 7<sup>th</sup> Edition, 1996 and 8<sup>th</sup> Edition, 1998.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

**Page 12** – Replace the Classification of the Soils table with the table on page 2.

The following series and taxadjuncts have been updated to the 7<sup>th</sup> edition of the Keys to Soil Taxonomy. These series require fieldwork and review before updating to the 8<sup>th</sup> edition of the Keys to Soil Taxonomy.

\*Bloomfield---Mixed, mesic Psammentic HapludalFs  
Gessie variant---Fine-loamy over sandy or sandy-skeletal, mixed  
(calcareous), mesic Typic Udifluvents  
\*Kosciusko---Fine-loamy, mixed, mesic Typic HapludalFs  
\*Newglarus---Fine-silty over clayey, mixed, mesic Typic HapludalFs  
\*Sleeth---Fine-loamy, mixed, mesic Aeric EndoaqualFs  
Stonelick---Coarse-loamy, mixed (calcareous), superactive, mesic Typic  
Udifluvents  
Wawasee---Fine-loamy, mixed, mesic Typic HapludalFs

**Page 5 - Addition**

-Add Map Unit Symbol and Name: W - Water

Add the map unit symbol name "W - Water" for water acres less than 40 acres in size and water areas more than 40 acres in size.

**Page 6 – Addition**

-Add UWT - Unclassified water to the 37A. Small, natural or man-made lake, pond, or pit that contains water, of an unspecified nature, most of the year. Typically 0.2 to 2.0 acres.

-Add ESO - Escarpment, other than bedrock to the 37A. A relatively continuous and steep slope or cliff that generally is produced by erosion but can be produced by faulting, which breaks the continuity of more gently sloping land surfaces. Exposed earthy material is non-soil or very shallow soil.

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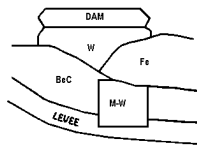
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Table 4.--Classification of the Soils

(An asterisk in the first column indicates a taxadjunct to the series. See text for a description of those characteristics that are outside the range of the series.)

Soil name	Family or higher taxonomic class
Ackerman-----	Sandy, mixed, mesic Histic Humaquepts
*Bloomfield-----	Mixed, mesic Psammentic HapludalFs
Blount-----	Fine, illitic, mesic Aeric EpiaqualFs
Chelsea-----	Mixed, mesic Lamellic Udipsamments
Crosier-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Aeric EpiaqualFs
Cyclone-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiaquolls
Fincastle-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aeric EpiaqualFs
Gessie variant-----	Fine-loamy over sandy or sandy-skeletal, mixed (calcareous), mesic Typic Udifluvents
*Gilford-----	Coarse-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Endoaquolls
Glynwood-----	Fine, illitic, mesic Aquic HapludalFs
Hennepin-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Eutrudepts
Houghton-----	Euic, mesic Typic Haplosaprists
*Kosciusko-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, mesic Typic HapludalFs
*Maumee-----	Sandy, mixed, mesic Typic Endoaquolls
Metea-----	Loamy, mixed, active, mesic Arenic HapludalFs
Miami-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Oxyaquic HapludalFs
Millsdale-----	Fine, mixed, active, mesic Typic Argiaquolls
Morley-----	Fine, illitic, mesic Oxyaquic HapludalFs
Morocco-----	Mixed, mesic Aquic Udipsamments
*Newglarus-----	Fine-silty over clayey, mixed, mesic Typic HapludalFs
Oakville-----	Mixed, mesic Typic Udipsamments
Ormas-----	Loamy, mixed, active, mesic Arenic HapludalFs
Patton-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Endoaquolls
Rensselaer-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiaquolls
Riddles-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic HapludalFs
Rush-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic HapludalFs
Russell-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic HapludalFs
Shoals-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, nonacid, mesic Fluvaquentic Endoaquepts
*Sleeth-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, mesic Aeric EndoaqualFs
Starks-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aeric EndoaqualFs
Stonelick-----	Coarse-loamy, mixed (calcareous), superactive, mesic Typic Udifluvents
Wawasee-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, mesic Typic HapludalFs
Xenia-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aquic HapludalFs

# CONVENTIONAL AND SPECIAL SYMBOLS LEGEND

DESCRIPTION	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOL
<b>CULTURAL FEATURES</b>		<b>SPECIAL SYMBOLS FOR SOIL SURVEY AND SSURGO</b>		<b>SPECIAL SYMBOLS FOR SOIL SURVEY AND SSURGO</b>	
<b>BOUNDARIES</b>		<b>SOIL DELINEATIONS AND SYMBOLS</b>		<b>RECOMMENDED AD HOC SOIL SYMBOLS</b>	
National, state, or province	---			<b>SYMBOL_ID</b>	
County or parish	---	<b>LANDFORM FEATURES</b>		DCS 1	✱
Minor civil division	---	<b>ESCARPMENTS</b>		DKS 2	✱
Reservation (Military)	---	Bedrock		OWW 3	□
Land grant (Optional)	---	Other than bedrock		VMS 4	✱
		SHORT STEEP SLOPE		EAS 5	✱
		GULLY		MAS 6	✱
		LEVEES		SAS 7	✱
		† Single side slope (showing actual feature location)		CAF 8	✱
		DEPRESSION, closed		CAL 9	✱
		SINKHOLE		SLR 10	✱
		EXCAVATIONS		DUM 11	✱
		PITS		BRV 12	✱
		Borrow pit		BRM 13	✱
		Gravel pit		BRD 14	✱
		Mine or quarry		OBR 15	✱
		MISCELLANEOUS SURFACE FEATURES		SSR 16	✱
		Blowout		LBR 17	✱
		Clay spot		WDP 18	✱
		Gravelly spot		SBR 19	✱
		Marsh or swamp		COB 20	✱
		Rock outcrop (includes sandstone and shale)		CNS 21	✱
		Sandy spot		FES 22	✱
		Severely eroded spot			
		Slide or slip			
		Spoil area			
		Stony spot			
		Very stony spot			
		Wet spot			
<b>HYDROGRAPHIC FEATURES</b>					
<b>STREAMS</b>					
Double line	---				
Unclassified (single line)	---				
Drainage end	---				

Approval Signatures

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